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Periodic Reporting (Proposal Nine)

Docket No. RM2017-13

CHAIRMAN'S INFORMATION REQUEST NO. 3

(Issued November 27, 2017)

To clarify the Postal Service's petition to consider a change in analytical principles, filed September 29, 2017,¹ the Postal Service is requested to provide a written response to the following question. The answer should be provided as soon as it is developed, but no later than November 30, 2017.

Please refer to the Petition, Proposal Nine at 5. Please confirm that Column "Proposed C/S 7 Unit Cost Difference w/ PiggyBacks" in Table "Impact of Proposal Nine" represents the estimated impact of Proposal Nine on both Cost Segments 6 and 7 as provided in Column S of Excel file "Prop.Nine.Impact.xlsx," tab "Impact." If not confirmed, please explain how the Postal Service segregates the impact of Cost Segment 7 unit costs.

By the Chairman.

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¹ Petition of the United States Postal Service for the Initiation of a Proceeding to Consider Proposed Changes in Analytical Principles (Proposal Nine), September 29, 2017 (Petition).